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Bank.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPETAL,.....\$5,000,000. Instalment, received on b New Shares,.....

\$7,074,744.75 \$2,500,000 RESERVE FUND..... Instalment of Premium re-1,563,361.66 ceived on New Shanes,...

\$4,063,361.66

COURT OF DIRECTORS. Chairman-A. P. McEwen, Esq. Deputy Chairman-Hon. F. D. Sassoon. C. D. BOTTOMLEY, | M. GROTE, Esq. A. Gültzow, Esq. H. L. DALRYMPLE, Hon. W. KESWICK. A. McIver, Esq. W. H. FORBES, Esq. M. E. SASSOON, Esq.

CHIÈF MANAGER. Hongkong,.....Thomas Jackson, Esq. MANAGER. Shanghai, Ewen Cameron, Esq. LONDON BANKERS .- London and County

HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED. ON Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent, per annum on the daily

balance. For Fixed Deposits:-For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum. 4 per cent. 5 per cent. "

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Drafts granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan. T. JACKSON.

Chief Manager. 5. Offices of the Corporation, No. 1, Queen's Road East. Hongkong, April 2, 1884.

Intimations.

NOTICE.

ATOTICE is hereby given, that by the Provisions made under Two Bills of SALE dated respectively the 3rd day of March, 1883, made respectively between ABRAHAM ELEAZER ABRAHAM of the one part, and ALEXANDRE AMADOR ECA DA Stava of the other part, and the said ABRAHAM ELEAZER ABRAHAM and SOLOMON MEYERS of the other part, we, the Undersigned have This Day entered and taken possession of the Premises known as the NOVELTY STORE, in Marine House, No. 17, Queen's Road, Hongkong, and will transact all Business from henceforth on our own account and in our Names. Dated the 14th day of June, 1884.

A. A. ECA DA SILVA, S. MEYERS. Per pro. N. S. MEYERS.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that by the Provisions made under a BILL of SALE dated the 15th day of April, 1884, made between Abraham Eleazer Abraham of the one part and the Undersigned of the other part, I have This Day entered and taken possession of the Premises known as the International Printing Office, No. Hollywood Road, Hongkong, and will transact all Business from henceforth for my own account and in my Name. Hongkong, dated the 14th day of June,

J. S. JUDAH.

PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

NOTICE TO PASSENGERS. THIS Company now grants passages THEOUGH TO LOUDON via Marseilles, 18T MAY. 1884. including Continental Railway fares, at the same rate as for the route by sea to Lon-

The fare to Marseilles is now similar to that charged to Brindisi or Venice, viz. A. McIVER. Superintendent.

don, viz., 2380.

Hongkong, March 13, 1884.

D. K. GRIFFITH HAS OPENED HIS NEW PHOTOGRAPHIC STUDIO. No. 1, Duddell Street, In rear of the Chartered Bonk of India Australia and China.

FITHE NEW RAPID DRY PLATES, he is now working, are Tecenty Times quicker than the Old process and make Protraiture of Children easy and certain to secure. The Studio is open daily, and Portraits are taken in any weather at Moderate Charges, while every care is taken to procure permanency of the prints. NEW VIEWS OF HONGKONG AND THE COAST PORTS ALWAYS READY. ..

Hongkong, May 24, 1884.

號三十月六年四十八百八千一英

HONGKONG, MONDAY, JUNE 23, 1884.

Intimations.

MISSES GATE & FAIRALL beg to inform the LADIES of Hougkong, that as they are receiving ex S.S. Gleufinlas a Very Large SUPPLY of SUMMER GOODS, consisting of the following:— L'ADIES' Trimmed and Untrimmed HATS, Boys' and Girls' STRAW HATS, Sun

NOTICE.

Mantle Cloth Muslin ZEPHYRS, Foulard SILKS, Grenadines GAUZES, RIB-BONS, Ribbon VELVETS, LADIES' Walking SHOES, GLOVES, MITTS, and General DRAPERY;

CORSETS, LACES, FLOWERS, WOOLS, and Crewel SILKS, Nun's Veiling COSTUMES, The Langtry Curling PINS, and Invisible HAIR NETS.

They are now offering their present Stock at 25 % discount, in order to make space for the new Goods. N.B.—All Hoisery, Boots, Shoes and many other Articles at ½ price.

GATE & FAIRALL, Next door Hongkong Hotel.

HOTEL DE L'UNIVERS. WYNDHAM STREET, HONGKONG.

Hongkong, June 17, 1884.

THE Undersigned begs to notify the Public of Hongkong and the Coast Ports that he will RE-OPEN THE HOTEL DE L'UNIVERS

on the 1st March. The whole of the ROOMS have been NEWLY FURNISHED throughout, and there are ROOMS suitable for either MARRIED Couples or Single Persons. The TABLE will be supplied with the

BEST the market can provide. The WINES and LIQUORS supplied, both at the Har and Table, will be of the VERY BEST BRANDS. GENTLEMEN desirons of taking Meals such as TIFFINS and DINNERS, can have ALL REQUISITE information by applying to

GEORGE STAINFIELD, Proprietor. Hongkong, February 28, 1884.

NOTICE

DULES OF THE HONGKONG IN . SAVINGS' BANK.

1.—The business of the above Bank will value purchased at one time. be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hougkong. Business hours

Shanghal Banking Corporation will form a direct security for the repayment of sums deposited in the above Bank. -Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No

depositor may deposit more than \$1,500 in any one year. 4.—Deposits may be on behalf of relations, of trusts, &c., in addition to the deposi-

than a dollar may do so by affixing Office. When the form is presented Instant. with ten clean stamps the depositor will be credited one dellar. —Depositors in the Savings' Bank having

\$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest. -Deposits may be forwarded from the Ports by means of clean Hongkong Postage Stamps of any values. -Interest at the rate of 31 per cent. per

annum will be allowed to depositors on their daily balances. -Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book which must be prosented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and begin-

ning of July. 10.—Covers containing Pass-Books, Registered Letters containing Stamps or other Remittances, and generally, cor-respondence as to the business of the Bank will, if marked On Hongkong Savings' Bank Business, be forwarded as supplied to free of Postage or Registration Fees Her Majesty's Ships; The P. & O. S. N. Co.; by the various Braish Post Offices in

Hougkong and China. -Withdrawals may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary.

-All documents connected with the business of the Savings' Bank are exempt from stamp duty. For the

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. T. JACKSON,

WITH Reference to the above, BUSI- Non Starters (divided)..... 1,500 F
NESS will be Commenced on the 1 Cash Prize.... 2,000
2 Cash Prizes

For the Hongrong & Shanghai Banking CORPORATION. T. JACKSON,

Chief Manager. Hongkong, April 25, 1884.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKIN CORPORATION.

ance with Resolution No. 2 passed

By Order of the Court of Directors, T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.



LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. beg respectfully to state that their well-known MIXTURE of the Choicest New Season's Teas,

'THE CUMSHAW MIXTURE.' is now being prepared in Foothow; and they will be glad to receive Orders, either for use here, or as a present to friends at home. They undertake to deliver this Tea to any address in the United Kingdom, free of any Charge whatever on the Home side, at \$7.50 per 5-Catty, and \$12 per 10-Catty Box.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, June 9, 1884.

NOTICE.

CAYLE & Co. beg to inform their Customers and the Public in general that in consequence of the Death of the Senior PARTNER, the BUSINESS carried on in Hongkong will be CLOSED

On or before the 31st day of August Next, AND THE WHOLE OF THE

STOCK is now offered at a REDUCTION of 25 per Cent. on the Marked Prices.

Special terms will be made for parcels of Goods over \$100 in

All Sales from this date will be for Cash only. Customers on week days, 10 to 3: Saturdays, 10 are requested to make immediate Payment of Amounts due by 2.—The Assets of the Hongkong and them to the late Firm.

SAYLE & Co., VICTORIA EXCHANGE, HONGKONG.

Hongkong, June 9, 1884.

Intimations.

DENTAL NOTICE.

-Persons desirous of saving sums less THE OFFICE of Dr. POATE will be REMOVED from 2, Duddell Street, clean ten-cent stamps to a form to be to Bank Buildings (entrance from Wyndham obtained at the Bank or at the Post | Street), on and after Monday, the 23rd

Hongkong, June 19, 1884. NOTICE.

THE Undersigned has This Day RE-MOVED his FURNITURE STORE to the Premises lately occupied by Mr. DRISCOLL, No. 6, Queen's Road Central.

A-TACK,

Fumiture Dealer.

Hongkong, June 12, 1884.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

N and after the First June next, the STORE of the Undersigned will be REMOVED to the Premises lately in the occupation of Messrs. Eca DA Silva & Co., No. 48, Queen's Road.

H. FOURNIER & Co., Storekeepers & Wine Merchants. Hongkong, May 1, 1884.

DOBT. SIM & Co.'s PATENT ANTI-FOULING COMPOSITION

The Douglas Steamship Company; The Japanese Government. Sole Agent, China, Japan, and Manila, EDWARD GEORGE. Hongkong, January 31, 1884.

,450 Prizes. £50,000. 1,450 Prizes. THE SYDNEY JOCKEY TURE CLUB'S MELBOURNE CUP CONSULTATION-1884.

MEMBERS £1 - - - - - EACH. To be run on the Flemington Race Course, Melbourge, in November, 1884. Distribution as follows: Chief Manager.

First Horse.....£8,000 10 Cash Prizes, £200 each, £2,000 Second Horse... 4,000 30 ,, , 100 ,, 3,000 Third Horse... 2,000 50 ,, , 40 ,, 2,500 Other Starters 200 ,, , 25 ,, 5,000

£1,000 each ... 2,000 | Cash Prizes £500 each 3,000

THE SYDNEY JOCKEY TURF CLUB Beg to inform the Sporting Public of China that they have made arrangements for holding a £50,000 Consultation on the forthcoming MELBOURNE CUP of 1884, when about 1,450 PRIZES will be awarded to the Fortunate Holders of the winning Numbers. The Highest Prize being £8,000; and the ATOTIOE is hereby given that in Accord- Lowest £10. Less 15 per cent. for expenses. Winning Numbers can be forwardat the Extraordinary General Meeting of ed for payment or collection to the Manager Shareholders held at the City Hall on the of any Bank, either in Sydney (N. S. Wales), 30th December, 1882, ALL SHARES nor or Melbourne (Victoria). Drawing will TAKEN UP, and the 1st, 2ND, SRD and 4TH take place under the Committee of Manage-CALLS paid on or before the 30th June ment, about four clear days before the Day. NEXT, will be disposed of by the Directors of Race. Result Slips are forwarded to all in such manner as in their discretion, they Subscribers. Any Subscriber can be preshall think best in the Interests of the sent at the drawing either in person or by proxy, on making application to the Secretary in writing. Add 1/ for Reply and Result. Drafts or P. C. Orders to be made payable to JAMES WAILACE, Secretary, S. J. T. C., 209, Oxford Street, Sydney, 712 Australia.

Intimations. HONGKONG AND CHINA GAS COM-

PANY, LIMITED. **FITHE Transfer BOOKS of this Company** will be CLOSED from the 18th Inst. until the 2nd Proximo, both days inclusive.

HENRY R. H. MARTIN, Manager. Hongkong, June 14, 1884.

THE CHINESE INSURANCE COM-PANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

THE Transfer BOOKS of this Company

30th Instant, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors. SAMUEL J. GOWER Secretary.

Hongkong, June 20, 1884.

COLONIE DE LA COCHINCHINE. CONTRIBUTIONS INDIRECTES. CONFORMEMENT aux dispositions ar-

J rétees par le CONSEIL COLONIAL dans sa seguce du 28 Decembre dernier. Les personnes qui desireraient établir en | COPPER SMITHS, BRASS & IRON Cochinchine des distilleries à appareils perfectionnes pour la transformation des riz et autres matères en alcools destincs à l'exportation, devront faire parvenir leur demande en autorisation á l'Administration avant le 1º Septembre, 1884, accompagnée des plans et indications propres à permettre d'apprecier l'importance et l'economie de l'établissement projeté. La Concession aura lieu aux conditions

suivantes :---1°.—La distillerie devra être établie a Saigon ou sur le territoire du 20me arrondissement. Tous les bâtiments seront construits en mura de briques, converts en tuiles, attenant les uns aux autres et reunis dans une enceinte parfaitement close. Un logement convenable

ances necessaires y sora menagé pour le préposé de la Régie. 2°. —La fabrication et la sortie des alcools seront soumises au régime de l'exercise. Le concessionnaire devra se soumettre à tous les reglements pris par l'autorité locale pour la surveillance et le controle de cette industrie.

.--Pendant trois annees et jusqu'à concurrence de 2,000,000 de litres, quel en exercise, la fabrication pour l'exportation sera exempte de tous droits dans la Colonie. Passé ce delai, ou une fois le chiffre deux millions de litres atteint, chaque hectolitre d'alcool exporté sera frappe d'un droit de cinquante cants en remplacement de l'impet foncier et pour couvrir les frais de surveillance.

Bien que les alcools fabriques dans ces distilleries soient specialement destinés a l'exportation, le Concessionnaire pourra, au renouvellement des baux. concourir pour l'exploitation d'une ou plusieurs concessions pour la consomimation dans l'interieur de la Colonie. en acquittant les droits et en se soumettant a la reglementation locale. .—La distillerie devra être prête à fonctionner le 1 Janvier, 1885.

6°.—Le gerant devra être agréé par l'Ad-

Address OFFICE OF THIS PAPER.

SITUATION in an Office at Hongkong or at one of the Coast Ports as AccountANT, Correspondent of General Assistant in Office Work.

Intimations.

WITANTED by an ENGLISHMAN a

Hongkong, June 18, 1884. NOTICE.

PERSONS desirous of Exchanging Soiled ONE DOLLAR NOTES for CLEAN Ones may do so at the Hongkong & Shang-HAI BANKING CORPORATION from this date. For the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING

T. JACKSON, Chief Manager, Hongkong, May 30, 1884. -

CORPORATION,

THIRD DRAWING. THE CHINA SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

OTICE is horeby given that, in conformity with the Conditions under which the DEBENTURES of the above Company were issued, the following Numbers of Debentures to be Paid off in Hongkong on the 30th day of June, 1884, when the INTEREST thereon will cease to be payable, were this day Dhawn at the Office of Messrs. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Hongkong, General Agents of the Company, in the presence of the Undersigned Notary.

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26	156	328	449
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33	174	333	455
41	177	335	460
44	182	348	465
46	191	350	470
48	209	352	477
50	212	354	489
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61	217	374	497
63	233	375	499
70	246	376	500
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73	253	382	503
77	260	383	508
79	264	385	510
81	271	386	514
82	272	389	515
90	276	394	519
94	277	396	524
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For the CHINA SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, Limited. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents.

Countersigned, WILLIAM WOTTON, Notary Public. 35, QUEEN'S ROAD, Hongkong.

Hongkong, 13th June, 1884. will be CLOSED from the 24th to the THE OHINA SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

TTHE DEBENTURES falling due on the 30th day of June, 1884, of the above Company will be Paid at the OFFICE 1022 of the Undersigned on and after that date. JARDINE MATHESON & Co.,

> General Agents. Hongkong, 13th June, 1884.

HOP SHING & Co., ENGINEERS, BOILER MAKERS, FOUNDERS, &c., WEST POINT IRON WORKS.

TAVING This Day commenced Busi-NESS, are ready to undertake Work of the above Descriptions under the Supervision of an Experienced European. Orders executed with the utmost despatch and at moderate terms. 24th September, 1883.

WILLIAM DOLAN. SAIL-MAKER & SHIP-CHANDLER, 22, PRAYA CENTRAL.

MOTTON DUCKS, HEMP CANVAS, MANILA ROPE, AMERICAN composé de deux pieces et des depend-OAKUM, LIFE BUOYS, CORK JACKETS, &c., &c., &c.

> Hongkong, May 1, 1882. DRY DOCK AND PATENT SLIP, NAGASAKI.

THE Undersigned have been appointed AGENTS for THE IMPERIAL GOVque soit le nombre de establissements VERNMENT DOCK AND PATENT SLIP, at Nagasaki, and are prepared to supply Tenders for the DOCKING, CLEANING, PAINTING, &c., of VESSELS. The ENGINE SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, Works in connection with the Dockyard are under the direction of experienced En-CINEERS and possess all the necessary appliances for Reparks to SHIPS and MACHINERY. HOLME, RINGER & Co.

Nagasaki, March, 1884. WA SUN. PICTURE FRAME MAKER AND GILDER.

SSORTED LOOKING GLASSES FOR SALE. VASE STAND MAKER, &c., &c. No. 19, WELLINGTON STREET, Hongkong.

Hongkong, June 3, 1884.

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Auctions. PUBLIC AUCTION.

ITHE Undersigned has received instructions from the MORIGAGEE to Sell by Public Auction, on

SATURDAY.

the 28th June, 1884, at S p.m.,-1st Lot. -2 HOUSES No. 124, Hollywood Road, and No. 19, Square Street, being INLAND LOT No. 225s. Yearly Crown Rent £2 9s. 0d.

2nd Lot.-5 HOUSES Nos. 136, 138 and 140, Hollywood Road, and Nos. 31 and 33, Square Street, being INLAND SHANGHAI shortly after her arrival from LOTS 256s and 250c. Yearly Orown Rent £6 0s. 0d. For Particulars and Conditions, apply to J. M. GUEDES.

Auctioneer. Hongkong, June 16, 1884.

For Sale.

FOR SALE.

Fine AUSTRALIAN COW in full Milk, with a BULL CALF 10 months -Price for the Pair 8200 (dollars).

No. 5, PEDDER'S HILL. Hongkong, June 21, 1884.

NOW ON SALE.

CHINESE DICTIONARY

CANTONESE DIALECT DR. E. J. EITEL. CROWN OCTAVO, PP. 1018. Hongkong, 1877-1883. A-K, ... \$2.50 K-M, \$2.50

M-T, \$3.00 T-Y,\$3.00 A Reduction of ten per cent. will be

allowed to purchasers of Ten or more copies. This Standard Work on the Chinese Language, constructed on the basis of Kanghi's Imperial Dictionary, contains all Chineso characters in practical use, and while alphabetically arranged according to the sounds of the oldest dialect of China, the Cantonese, it gives also the Mandarin pronun-ciation of all characters explained in the book, so that its usefulness is by no means confined to the Cantonese Dialect, but the work is a practically complete Thesaurus of the whole Written Language of China, an-cient and modern, as used all over the Empire, whilst its introductory chapters serve the purposes of a philological guide to the student.

A Supplement, arranged for being bound and used by itself, and containing a List. of the Radicals, an Index, and a List of Surnames, will be published and sold soparately.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, January 15, 1883.

Shipping.

Steamers.

POSTPONEMENT OF DEPARTURE. STEAM TO BOMBAY VIA STRAITS. . The P. & O. S. N. Co. s

will leave for the above instead of as previously advertised. A. McIVER,

Superintendent. '. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, * Hongkong, June 19, 1884. 🦠

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW The Co.'s Steamship

Captain PITMAN, will be despatched for the above Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 25th Instant. at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, June 21, 1884.

NETHERLANDS INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR BATAVIA, SAMARANG, AND SOURABAYA, VIA SAIGON

AND SINGAPORE. The Co.'s Steamship Camorta. Captain OREILLE, will be despatched for the above Ports on or about the 25th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to

Agents. Hongkong, June 19, 1884. AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

STEAM FOR BOMBAY, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, AND TRIESTE (Taking Cargo at through rates to CAL-

CUTTA, PERSIAN GULF PORTS,

ODESSA, and the MEDITERRANEAN PORTS.) The Co.'s Steamship Captain G. Donesch, will be despatched as above on or about SATURDAY, the 28th Instant, at Noon. For further Particulars, apply to

MELCHERS & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, June 14, 1884.

PRICE, \$2 PER MONTH

Shipping.

Steamers. NOTICE. HE SAME THE

COMPAGNIE DES' MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS. The Co.'s Steamship

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS.

The Co.'s Steamship Commandant LAVONT, will be despatched for

I. MARTIN,

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

Calling at PORT DARWIN & QUEENS-LAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to NEW ZEALAND; through Passage Tickets granted to PORT MORESBY, NEW GUINEA.) The Steamship

MONDAY, the 30th Instant.

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, June 19, 1884.

AND STRAITS STEAMSHIP COM-PANY, LIMITED. FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE. Calling at PORT DARWIN & QUEENS-

CALEDONIA and FIJI.) The Stramship Captain Thom, will be despatched as above on

RUSSELL & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, June 18, 1884.

Glenariney; Capt. Sommens, will be despatched as above on or about the 4th July. For Freight or Passage, apply to

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, June 20, 1884. FOR SYDNEY, MELBOURNE AND ADELAIDE.

LAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to NEW ZEALAND, NEW CALE-DONIA, FIJI and TASMANIA.) The Eastern and Aus-

Parcels (all of which must be sent to our Office) will be received up to 4 p.m. of the day previous. Contents and value of the Packages must

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

Sailing Vessels. FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

here for the above Port, and RUSSELL & Co.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The 3/3 L.1.1. British Ship Forest King, LOCKHART, Master, will load

For Freight, apply to the Freight and RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, June 17, 1884. (36) 4. 2004

The 3/3 L.1.1. German Ship Schuldr, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong. May 5, 1884. FUR SAN FRANCISCO,

The 3/3 L.1.1. British Ship Don Enrique,
MCALLISTER, Master, will lead
here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

RUSSELL & Co.

Commandt. PASQUALINI will be despatched for

Hongkong, June 20, 1884

MARITIMES.

YOKOHAMA shortly after the arrival of the next French Mail from Europe.

Hougkong, June 20, 1884.

TOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE.

Captain SMITH, will be despatched as above on This Vessel has unusually good Cabin Accommodation, situated amidships, upon the upper deck. For Freight or Passage, apply to

THE AUSTRALASIA, CHINA, JAPAN

LAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to ADELAIDE, NEW ZEALAND and TASMANIAN PORTS, NEW

FRIDAY, 4th July, at 4 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Steamship

(Calling at PORT DARWIN & QUEENS-

tralian Steamship Co.'s Steamer Catterthun, Capt. H. Uraid, will be despatched as above on or about TUESDAY, the 8th July.

e declared. For Freight or Passage, apply to .

Hougkong, June 21, 1884.

The 3/3 L.1.L. American Barque CROSSLEY, Master, will load will have quick despatch.

here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

FOR NEW YORK.

For Freight, apply to

For Freight, apply to

Hongkong, June 6, 1884.

For Freight, apply to Hongkong, June 17, 1884. For Sale.

MacEWEN, FRICKEL & Co. No. 53, Queen's Road East, (OPPOSITE THE COMMISSARIAT),

FROM AMERICA. ALIFORNIA RACKER OMPANY'S BISCUITS in 5 tins, and loose.

Soda BISCUITS. Assorted BISCUITS

LANDING

Small HOMINY. Cracked WHEAT.

OATMEAL. CORNMEAL.

TOPOCAN BUTTER. Eastern and Californian CHEESE. CODFISH, Boneless. Prime HAMS and BACON. Eagle Brand Condensed MILK. Family BEEF in 25 to kegs. Beau Ideal SALMON in 5 th cans. Cutting's Dessert FRUITS in 21 to cans. Assorted Canned VEGETABLES. Potted SAUSAGE and Sausage

Stuffed PEPPERS. Assorted SOUPS. Richardson & Robbin's Celebrated Potted MEATS.

· Lunch HAM. Lambe' TONGUES. Clam CHOWDER. Fresh OREGON SALMON. Dried APPLES. TOMATOES. SUCCOTABH. Maple SYRUP. Golden SYRUP. Lobsters. OYSTERS. HONEY.

SCALES. FAIRBANKS'

400 fb. Capacity. 600 fb. 900 fb. 1,200 fb.

AGATE IRON WARE. INSERTION RUBBER. TUCK'S PATENT PACKING.

HITCHCOCK HOUSE LAMPS. PERFECTION STUDENT LAMPS. LAWN BOWLS.

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BASS'S ALE, bottled by Cameron and SAUNDERS, pints and quarts. GUINNESS'S STOUT, bettled by B. & J. BURKE, pints and quarts. DRAUGHT ALE and PORTER, by the

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MIXER'S PATENT FIRE-PROOF SAFES, CASH and PAPER Sugar Debentures, 1880. BOXES, at Manufacturer's Prices.

Notices to Consignees.

FROM HAMBURG, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE S. S. Hesperia, Captain WAGNER, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and stored at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned, whence and/or from the Wharves or Boats delivery may be

. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-Moneow, the 18th Instant. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 22nd Instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

SIEMSSEN & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, June 17, 1884.

To-day's Advertisements.

FOR SHANGHAL The Steamship Yangtere, Capt. F. Schuz, will be despatched for the above Port TO MORROW, the 24th Instant, at

For Freight or Passage, apply to STEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, June 23, 1884. DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY. LIMITED.

FOR AMOY AND TAMSUI. The Co.'s Steamship Hailoong. Capt. Goddard, will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 26th Instant, at

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.; General Managers. Hongkong, June 23, 1884.

UNION LINE. FOR SHANGHAL The Steamship Devoushire. Captain Punvis, due on or about 28th Inst., will

have immediate despatch for the above For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, June 23, 1884. 1038 UNION LINE.

FOR YOKOHAMA AND HIGGO. The Steamship Capt. MITCHELL, due on or about 28th Inst., will have immediate despatch for the above

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, June 23, 1884.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW The Co.'s Steamship Douglas. Capt. S. Ashton, will be despatched for the above Ports on SUNDAY, the 29th Instant, 9 a.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,

General Managers. Hongkong, June 23, 1884.

Destination.

FOR HAVRE AND HAMBURG, VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Steamship

Captain Nager, will be despatched for the above Ports on or about the 29th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co.,

Hongkong, June 23, 1884.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on FRIDAY. the 27th June, 1884, at Noon, at the Mrrsv

BISHI S. S. Co.'s Office, Praya Central,— SUNDRY OFFICE & BEDROOM FURNITURE TERMS OF SALE .- Cash on delivery.

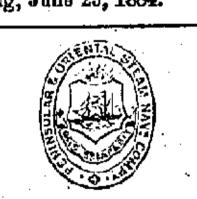
G. R. LAMMERT, Auctioneer. Hongkong, June 23, 1884. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

CONSIGNEES of the following Cargo Lading to the Undersigned for counter- PLATED WARE. signature, and to take immediate delivery. This Cargo has been landed and stored at their risk and expense. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Ex Peiho. M. & C.,) No. 5=25 cases Wine. Order. - from London.

I. MARTIN, Acting Agent. Hongkong, June 23, 1884.



STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MARSEILLÉS. MALTA, GIBRALTAR, BRINDISI, TRIESTÉ, VENICE, AND LONDON:

BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND AUSTRALIA.

N.B.—Cargo can be taken on through Bills of Lading for BATAVIA, PERSIAN GULF PORTS, MARSEILLES, PRIESTE, HAMBURG, NEW YORK AND BOSTON.

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamtship MASSILIA, Capt. S. D. SHALLARD, with Her Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for LONDON direct, vid SUEZ CANAL and usual Ports of Call, on THURSDAY, the 3rd July, at 4 p.m. Cargo will be received on board until 10 a.m. on the day of sailing.

Parcels and Specie (Gold) at the Office until 10 a.m. on the day of sailing. For further Particulars, regarding FREIGHT and PASSAGE, apply to the PENINBULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGA-TION COMPANY'S Office, Hongkong.
The Contents and Value of Packages are

required to be declared prior to shipment. Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading. N.B.—This Steamer takes Cargo and Passeigers for MARSEILLES.

A. McIVER, Superintendent. Hongkong, June 23, 1884.

Vessels.

Vessels Advertised as Loading.

Batavia, &c., via Saigon....... Camorta (s)....... Oreille......... Jardine, Matheson & Co..... About June 25.

Captain.

To-day's Advertisements. To-day's Advertisements To-day's Advertisements. TO LET.

TENDERS WANTED.

TIENDERS will be Received by the Undersigned up to Noon TO-MOR-ROW, the 24th Instant, for CERTAIN REPAIRS to the HULL of the Steamship LENNOX, Particulars of which may be ascertained from them, or from the MASTER on board. The lowest or any Tender will not neces-

sarily be accepted. JARDINE MATHESON & Co.,

Hongkong, June 23, 1884,

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned has received instructions from J. Lounerro, Esq., late Portuguese Consul, to Sell by Public Auc-

tion, on THURSDAY, the 26th June, 1884, at 2 p.m., at his Residence, No. 8, Arbuthnot Road, -THE WHOLE OF HIS

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c. comprising:-CRETONN'R-COVERED DRAWING-ROOMSUITE. EMBROIDERED CHAIR, CHIMNEY GLASSPS, ENGRAVINGS, ORNAMENTS, GASALIERS and

GAS BRACKETS. EXTENSION DINING TABLE, ENGLISH-MADE MAHOGANY MAHBLE-TOP SIDEBOARD, MA-HOGANY ESCRITOIRE, WHATNOTS, DINNER, Steinbömer.-Melchers & Co. are requested to send in their Bills of Dessert and TEA SERVICES, GLASS and

Double and Single Iron Bedsteads and IRON COTS with WIKE SPRING MATTRESSES. WARDROESS, CHEST OF DRAWERS, MARRIE TOP TOILET TABLE and GLASS, WASHSTAND John H. Potter. - Jardine, Matheson & Co.

Catalogues will be issued. TERMS OF SALE. -- As customary. J. M. ARMSTRONG,

and OFFICE DESES, PIANOS.

Auctioneer. Hongkong, June 23, 1884.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

TIMESSES. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. IVI have received instructions from the MORTGAGEE, to offer FOR SALE by Public Auction, on

MONDAY. the 30th day of June, 1884, at 3 o'Clock p.m., at the Premises,— A VALUABLE LEASEHOLD

PROPERTY. Situate at Sel-ving-poon, Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, abutting on the North side thereof on the QUEEN'S ROAD West and measuring thereon 524 feet, on the South side thereof on First Street and measuring thereon 521 feet, on the East side thereof on a close registered in the Land Office as INLAND LOT No. 447, and measuring thereon 105 feet, and on the West side thereof on a close registered in the Land Office as INLAND LOT No. 492, and measuring thereon 105 feet, which said PIECE or PARCEL of

GROUND contains in the whole 5.512 square feet and is registered in the Land Office as INLAND LOT No. 493, upon which are standing 14 HOUSES, viz., Nos. 328, 330 and 334, QUEEN'S ROAD West, and 332 built over the entrance of SAI LUNG LANE, Nos. 95, 97, 99 and 101, FIRST STREET, Sei-ying-poon, and Nos. 1, 2, 32,4, 5 and 6, Sar Lung Lane. The Property will be Sold subject to the existing Lettings and Tenancies thereof, if

For further Particulars and Conditions of Sale, apply to DENNYS & MOSSOP, Mortgagee's Solicitors;

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Auctioneers. 1040 i Hougkong, 23rd day of June, 1884. 1035

Agents.

Date of Leaving.

ATO. 25B, PRAYA CENTRAL. Nos. 7 and 8. SEYMOUR TERRACE. No. 7, GARDEN BOAD (known as 'HAR-PERVILLE').

No. 44, Chaham Street. DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, June 23, 1884.

Not Responsible for Debts.

Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, during their stay in Honghong Harbour :-C. T. Hoos, British steamer, Captain W. Jarvis .- T. Howard & Co. EL CAPITAN, American ship, Capt. J. E.

Sewall.—Captain. GREAT ADMIRAL, American ship, Capt. James F. Rowell.-Master. HONAUWAR, British ship, Captain John Lane. - Messageries Maritimes. KENNETT, British steamer, Captain J. S. anderson.—Captain,

LECNORA, American ship, Captain J. F. Petersen.-P: & O. S. N. Co. MATILDA, American ship, Captain J. G. Merryman.-Jardine, Matheson & Co. Medora, British barque, Captain D. W Carter.—Order. SCHILLER, German barque, Captain C.

STAR OF CHINA, British barque, Captal Charles Smith. - Melchers & Co. WILDWOOD, American barque, Captain For SHANGHAL. Chas, A. Sawyer, Melcher & Co. WM. PHILLIPS, Amer. barquentine, Capt.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS. June 21, 1884 :--Wm. Phillips, American barkentine, 568, John H. Potter, West Australia May 18 Timber. - JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Lady Herewood, British barque, 382, William, Quinhon June 16, General,-Wielen & Co.

Don Juan, Spanish steamer, 654, Jose M. Marquez, Amoy June 20, General -BRANDAO & Co. June 22:-

Hugo & Otto, Norwegian barque, 370, L. M. Kaedt, Iloilo June 4, Sapanwood.— Miramar, British steamer, 891, Hunter, put back on June 20. Namon, British steamer, 863, Geo. D. Pitman, Foochow June 18, Amoy 19, and Swatow 21, General. - Douglas STEAMSHIP

Lennox, British steamer, 1,327, Scott, Keelung June 19, Coals. -- Jandine, Ma-Harter, British steamer, 1,196, F. Grandin, Saigon June 16, Rice, Paddy and Fish. -Russell & Co.

Greyhound, British steamer, 227, D Scott. Pakhoi June 19, and Hoihow 21, General .- ADAMSON, BELL & Co. Yangtere, British steamer, from Canton. Rossiya, British steamer, 1,049, J. Mo Kechnie, Straits via Hoihow June 21

General -Bun Hin Chan. Peking, British steamer, 954, Henermann, Shanghai June 19. General. STRUBBEN & Schiller, German bark, 1,227, C. Stein-

bome, Cardiff February 7, Coals, -MEL-CHERS & Co. June 23 :--Kwongsang, British steamer, 898, Jackn, Shanghai June 19, General.-JARDINE. MATHESON & Co.

Kennett, British steamer, 1,156, J. T. Sanderson, Saigon June 18, Rice and FAMILY & DISPENSING CHEMISTS Paddy. - CAPTAIN. Saltee, French steamer, 323, Th. Lerede, Haiphong June 21, General.—A. R.

Occeanie, British steamer, 1,808, Metcalfe, San Francisco May 27, and Yokohama June 17, Mails and General.—C. & O. S.

DEPARTURES. June 23:-Anton, for Hoihow. Ping-on, for Hoihow. Nam-vian, for Haiphong. Jason, for Singapore, &c. Fushien, for Shanghai. Thales, for Swatow. Hesperia, for Shanghai. Kong Beng, for Swatow. Oxfordshire, for New York. June 28 :-

Normanton, for Nagasaki. Kwongsang, for Canton. Descalion, for Amoy and Shanghai. Peking, for Canton. OLEARED.

Don Enrique, for San Francisco. Don Juan, for Manila. Rosslyn, for Swatow. Lee Yih, for Shanghai. Yangisze, for Shanghai. Vortigern, for Saigon.

PASSENGERS. Per Don Juan, from Amoy, Messra Antonio Barrios, and Joze Servano, and I Per Namoa, from Coast Ports, Mrs Focken and child, and 162 Chinese.

Per Rosslyn, from Straits via Hoihow, 50 - Per Peking, from Shanghai, 2 Europeans, and 40 Chinese. Per Kwongsony, from Shanghai, 1 Euro-pean, and 6 Chinese.

Per Kennett, from Saigon, 76 Chinese. Per Saltee, from Haiphong, Mr Fillion, and 1 Chinese. Per Occeanic, from San Francisco, Mr. D. H. Tretter, Mrs Cairns, Mr Scudder,

Departed. Per Thales, for Swatow, 100 Chinese, Amoy, Mr J. L Edwards; for Foothow, Mesers A. E. Pfankuchen, and F. H. Siemssen. Per Anton, for Hollow, 25 Chinese.

Per Jason, for Singapore, 12 Europeans and 141 Ohinese. and 20 Chinese. Per Kong Beng, for Swatow, 100 Chinese. Per Descalion for Amoy and Shenghai,

To DEPART

Per Den Juan, for Manila, 4 Europeans, and 63 Chinese. Fer Rustyn, for Swatow, 200 Chineses Per Yangteze, for Shanghai, 15 Chinese. Per Vortigern, for Saigon, 200 Chinese. SHIPPING REPORTS.

68 Chinese.

The British barque Lady Herewood renight N.E. winds rather fresh. The Spanish steamer Don Juan reports Fine clear weather throughout.

The Norwegian barque Hugo & Otto re- | who, and every succeeding Duke bearing ports : Calma and light winds. The British steamer Miramar reports: Having collided with steamer Lennox, on the 20th inst., put back for repairs. The British steamer Names reports Left Foochow on the 18th inst., Amoy on 19th, and Swatow on the 21st, and perienced, from Foochow to Swatow, fresh S. & W. winds with dull, cloudy weather and heavy min; from Swatow to port ex-

Champion. In Swatow the steamers Camoria and Pechili . The British steamer Lennox reports Moderate winds throughout from S.W. The British steamer Harter reports Moderate S.S.E. breeze, and fine weather

perienced moderate S. & S. Easterly winds

with fine weather. In Amoy, the steamers

Olaymore, Picciola, and Fokien, H.B.M.S

The German barque Schiller reports: Had fine weather and variable winds all the voyage ; passed Anjer 30 May, and Banker Strait on June 6th, had light Southerly winds and calms to port. On the 1st June, spoke the German ship Antarco, from Cardiff, bound to Singapore, 116 days out, in Java Sea. The British steamer Oceanic reports Sailed from San Francisco May 27th at

noon. Arrived Yokohama on 16th June. Left on the 17th at 6 a.m., strong Westerly winds and rainy weather until past Van Diemen's Straits, thence to Turnabout moderate and light Southerly winds, thence to port light variable Southerly winds and fine weather, a strong N.E. at entire pas-

POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close:-

Per Yangteze, at 8.30 a.m., on Tuesday the 24th inst. For SWATOW AND AMOY .-Per Rosslym, at 11.30 a.m., on Tuesday

the 24th inst. For MANILA. Per Don Juan, at 1.30 p.m., on Tuesday the 24th inst., instead of as previous ly notified.

For STRAITS AND BOMBAY.— Per Geelong, at 2.30 p.m., on Tuesday, the 24th inst, instead of as previously For SAIGON .-

Per Kremlin, at 4.30 p.m., on Tuesday, the 24th inst. For AMOY AND TAMSULday, the 26th inst. For SWATOW, AMOY, & FOOCHOW.

Per Douglas, at 8.30 a.m., on Sunday, the 29th inst. For NAGASAKI, KOBE, and YOKO HAMA.--the 5th July.

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW Shipping. 9 a.m. - Yangisze leaves for Shanghai.

3 p.m.—Geolog leaves for Bombay. Tenders Close. Noon. - Tenders fer Repairs to the Hull Jardine. Matheson & Co.'s office.

Miscellaneous. Transfer Books of The Chinese Insurance Co., Ltd., closed from this date to the 30th Instant, inclusive.

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SUN AND TIDE TABLE FOR HONGKONG. HIGH WATER ! SUN. Kises. Sets. Morn. | Aft. H. M. и. и.

5.19 5.19 6.46 5.20 High water at Whampon: 2 hrs. 30 mins, later than at Hongkong; at the Barrier: 3 hrs. 15 mins.; at the Salt Flats: Shrs. 30 mins.; at Shameen

9.20

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3 hrs. 45 mins. BIRTH. At Pagoda Anchorage, Foochow, on the their connection with the original grantees. 11th June, the Wife of CHARLES H. BREWITT-TAYLOR, of a Son.

25 The publication of this issue commenced at 7.50 p.m. The China Itlail.

HONGKONG, MONDAY, JUNE 23, 1884. A TELEGRAM clipped from one of our In-Mrs Cheng and party, Mrs Laurence, and dian exchanges states that the pension Mrs Woodruff, 2 European and 173 Chinese. voted by the British Parliament to the first Duke of Mariborough and his descendants is to be commuted by payment of the sum. of £107,000. It was expected that some The E & A. S. S. Co.'s steamer Catterthun action would be taken at home in regard to what are known as perpetual pensions, that is, pensions granted decades ago by Government to persons not only for their lifetime but to their descendants for ever. Per Fushum, for Shanghai, 1 European, There was a great outery about these pensions in England a few years ago, and Mr Bradlaugh took upon himself the work of endeavouring to effect some reform respect-

matter personally before that body, It is parhaps not very singular that to begun at 6.30 this evening. the families in receipt of these pensions we are indebted for one or two of the most | We are requested to state that the Special ports; Fair weather, S.W. winds; last hot headed and uncompromising Tories of Jury summoned to try the Stander case the present day. Lord Randolph Church- fixed for 10.30 to merrow, need not attend, ill is a son of the Duke of Marlhorough, as the suit has been withdrawn.

ing them. His exclusion from Parliament,

however, prevented him from bringing the

that bitle, is, or will be, the recipient of a pension of £4,000 per annum from the Government, that is, if this commutation had not been made. In a recent series of 'Echoes of the Week,' George Augustus Sala expressed his inability or disinclination to comment on political matters in these remarkable words :- 'Alas ! I am debarred from commenting on politics at all. The political opinions which I have taken the liberty of holding ever since I had any sorious opinious whatsvever are considered by a large body of respected readers to be of a gravely criminal nature; and whenever I presume to hint that the history of Toryism is the history of tyranny, cruelty, bigotry, stupidity, ignorance, and obstruction, and not the history of Human Progress, I am violently upbraided or scornfully reviled. So I have nothing to say about the Franchise Bill, the Egyptian Muddle, or the General Election. This is not a denunciation of Toryism that we can endorse. It does not appear to us to hit the moving principle of the creed, namely, a sticking to the properties and privileges that have been handed down from father to son for generations. Mr Sala also does give Toryism the credit of often being a useful check mon the pre-

cipilancy of Radicalism. Bord Randolph Churchill, as the member of a family of perpetual pensioners on the public, has certainly the strongest motives for advocating conservation, or the preservation creed: And the light horseman of the Tories'--he is now recognised as one of the two leaders of the Party-does his work well and energetically.

The policy of perpetual pensions is bad, and the Government has carefully abstained from following it in recent times. As to the Duke of Marlborough's pension, its perpetuity cannot be defended. The Duke Per Hadoong, at 2.30 p.m., on Thurs- to whom the grant was originally made was a great General, although unfortunately his talents were mainly expended in ware, the chief object of which was to carry out the narrow and selfish sims of those Per Thibet, at 11.30 a.m., on Saturday, in high places at the time. His victories, purchased by the expenditure of much blood and treasure, had little or no foundation in justice, and his campaigns were actually calamities. But a better reason for attacking this particular pension is that the services of the Duke were most liberally rewarded during his life of the S.S. Lennox received by Messra time. It has been calculated that the Dako of Marlborough and his wife drew together no less than £90,000 a year from the revenues of the country. In addition to this enormous stipend he received the manor of Woodstock, as a gift, and some large grants of money on account of the famous victory.' The commutation granted by the Government is a most unsatisfactory one, because if the sum awarded be properly invested it will yield a return annually equal to the persion of the Duke. There are other perpetual pensions which were granted under the most questionable

> the Dukes of Richmond and Grafton had been invested and compound interest reckoned, they would now amount to a sum exceeding the whole of the national debt, or say eight hundred millions sterling. Yet in neither of these cases was there the smallest pretence of vagant ponsions. Some of these pen-736 sions are charged severally by Act of Parliament upon the Consolidated Fund; others are annually voted by the House of Commons, and the remainder are derived from interest on Consols, a sufficient amount of stock having been invested in the names of trustees for that purpose. It is to be hoped taht the Home Government, or Parliament, will deal with some of these pensions in a little less-liberal spirit than that evinced in regard to the Duke of Marlborough's. That several of these pensions were granted at the more caprice of the Sovereigns of the time, and were most unworthily bestowed, is beyond question. In many cases, we believe, it has become a most difficult task for the public to trace the present recipients of the pensions and

circumstances. It is said that if the moneys

paid for pensions and compensations to

LOCAL AND GENERAL. PASSED CANAL: -- Mector, June 2; Glenroy, June 5 : Patrodus, June 9.

The next FRENCH MAIL, per the M. M. Co.'s S. S. Irwounddy, which left Sin-gapore for Saigon and this port on the 20th inst, at 8 a.m., may be expected to arrive here on or about Briday, the 27th instant. The direct steamers, with the next Indian mail, left Calcutta on the morning of

the 21st June, and are due here on or about the 5th July. The S. S. Naples left Sydney for this port on the 3rd instant. left Port Darwin on the 18th inst. for The Union Line steamer Euphrates left Singapore for this port on the morning

The Union Line steamer Descustive left Singapore for this port on the after-noun of the 28th instant. DOUR MOVEMENTS The Miramor went to Kowloon Dock The Tancan goes to Commopolitan, Dock

of the 22nd inst.

THE delivery of the American mail was

Hongkong, June 14, 1884.

Havre and Hamburg, &c. Electra (8).

London, &c., via Suez Canal. Massilia (8).

London, via Suez Canal. Glenartney (8).

Siemasen & Co. About June 29.

S. D. Shallard. P. & O. S. N. Co. July 3, at 4 p.m.

Sommers. Jardine, Matheson & Co. About July 4. Messageries Maritimes...... June 26. at noon. quick despatch. San Francisco, via Yokohama... Oceanic (s)..... ...O. & O. S. S. Co..... .July 2, at 3 p.m. Russell & Co.....quick despatch-Devonshire (s) Purvis Swatow, Amoy and Foochow... Names (8)...... Pitman...... Douglas Lapraik & Co....... June 25, at noon. ...Douglas Lapraik & Co...... June 29, at 9 a.m. Naples (s)..... Thom.... Russell & Co..... H. Craig. Gibb, Livingston & Co..... About July 8. Sydney and Melbourne, &c..... Catterthun (s)..... Melchers & Co...... About June 28, noon. Trieste, &c...... Titania (s)..... ...G. Doncich..... Volga (s).....Lafont..... Messageries Maritimes...... quick despatch. ...Mitchell Yokohama and Hiogo..... Euphrates (s)..... Per Lennox, from Keelung, Mr Ford June 23, 1884. SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS. Per Harter, from Saigon, 112 Chinese. Per Greyhound, from Pakoi, &c., 15 Chi. Clustry Qualations | Paid-| POSITION PER LAST REPORT. Last Dividend. Reserve. W king account. BANKS. 57,645.23 £2 o. s £1.5 n. s. 125 \$ 125 \$4,063,361.66 \$ Tis. 280 per share *576,391.09 \$18.29+ 500,000 3 **8**550 107,411.65 22% 10% 83.33 8 600,000\$ 55,000 28,711.50 Credit balance \$190 sales 1,500\$ STEAM COMPANIES. 215,000 53,691,80 25 discount 10 £ 8.10 Per Ping.on, for Holhow, 20 Chinese. Per Nam-vian, for Haiphong, 3 Euro-MISCELLANEOUS. 4,351.58 125 \$ 100 \$ 18,000|3 10 £ 7.10 £ 8,852.17.10 10 2 10 884 per share New Shares \$145

Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Corporation... 60,000 \$ North-China Insurance Company, Limited... 5,000 £
Yangtsze Insurance Company, Limited... 8,000 £
Union Insurance Society Company, Limited... 2,000 £ China Traders' Insurance Company, Limited ... 24,000 8 Canton Insurance Office Company, Limited... 10,000. Chinese Insurance Company, Limited Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Limited 8,000 \$ China Fire Insurance Company, Limited...... HK. C. and M. Steamboat Co., Limited Indo-China S. N. Co., Lt. 60,000 sh. issued China and Manila S. S. Company, Limited.... 3,500 8 Hongkong & Whampos Dock Co., Limited... 2,000 \$ HK. and China Gas Company, Limited ...) Hongkong Hotel Co., Lt., 3,000 sha. issued 1,000 8 China Sugar Company, Limited

Hongkong Ice Company, Limited

Hongkong Bakery Company, Limited

Luzon Sagar Company, Limited

Perak Tin Mining & Smelting Co., Limited... \$114 buyers 543.83 \$10 % for 1883 \$140 per share 656.32 210 per share \$100 buyers 000.65 ... \$90 p. share buyers 50 8 50 8 100 8 100 6110 nll Selangere Tin Mining Co., Lt. of Shanghai ... 2,500 \$ 100 all Rates of Payable. Interest. June 30 Dec. 51 Chinese Insperial 1874..... Feb. 28 Ag. 31 16 040 £ April & October 3, 899 Tl. 600 June 16&Dec. 10 1881 2 % prem. June & Decem.

For 6 months to 30th June 1883,-+ Dividend for 1883 and Bonds of 25 per cent.-- | For half year ended 81st Dec., 1883,-- & For 1888.

Criminal Sessions will be required to be in attendance at the Supreme Court, on Wednesday, 25th inst., at 10.30 a.m.

Mesens, Russell & Co. inform us that the Union Line steamer Euphrates loft Singapore for this port yesterday morning, and they be expected to arrive here on or about tlie 28th instant.

MESSES. Russell & Co. inform us that the Union Line steamer Decombire left Singapore for this port yesterday afternoon, and may be expected to arrive here on or about the 28th instant

THE Douglas Steamship Company's steamer Namoa, Captain Geo. D. Pitman, left Fooshow on the 18th instant, and reports the following steamers in port on that date:-Cardiganshire, Pembrokeshire, Ning Chow. Killarney, Menmuir, Benarty, Tamsui, Whampon, Suez, Gleneagles, Jasm, Teucer, and Taku.

subjects in which the competitors were vited to attend. examined were reading, hardwriting, dictation, copying, composition, and arithmetic.

renovated, dining-room at the Hongkong Hotel is to be opened on Wednesday next, when the diners are to be treated to a free concert in the hall of the Hotel after the dinner, to celebrate the occasion. When we add that Senors Marchetti and the ed by sub-marine cable, said cable to pro-Hongkong violinist are to take part in the performance, and that punkahs will be provided, we believe that we have said quite enough to fill the newly fitted-dining-room on Wednesday ovenibu.

THE Manila Comercio says :- It is gene- on foot .- Japan Mail. rally believed that although the Marquis de. Campo has ceded to the Compania Trans- Mrs Langtry is now playing Galatea in Mratlantica the line of direct mail steamers from Europe to Manila, together with some of his steamers, he has not given up his view the supposed statue of Galatea was covetously towards Yunnan, with all its enquiry to be made as to the state of the trade connection with these islands. There is in the Philippines a vast field for the Marquis's capital and activity. Tobacco, the white marble statue, and stood in low Chinese will not be able to oust them. Your matter is kept quite-distinct in every hemp, augar, and other products of the country offer immense trading advantages, a marble statue. Her nut-brown hair was objects of hate on the part of the black- and again the compredere replied: Your of which the Marquis is conscious, and he bound with gilt bands, and the waist of the haired race, the protection of Heaven is money is kept quite distinct from mine. will certainly not allow the trade to be lost. The country requires capital to develop it, besides active and intelligent men.

Wong Apow, the Chinaman who has been peveral times brought before the Magistrate at the Police Court on two separate charges, The hero of the hour at Berlin at present valorous resistance to the French was simply money than was entered in the books, he first for stealing a box containing 8350 odd, in Dr. Koch, the President of the German due to the fact that he happened to be in would either have had to go round the shipfrom the quarters at the Central Police Sta. Cholera Commission, who has just returned his place would have been taken by many cheque the freight notes. He had never was only £1,500,000, so that the individual Justice Ikeda, and several secretaries tion, and secondly with stealing a box of from India, where he has discovered the others. Fourthly, according to one of the done either. When he observed freight holdings of the shareholders averaged less the judicial department.—Japan Gazette. cotting during the are in the queens rough cholera germ. In appearance he is describ- disturbs the peace of the world, not only lead to shiyori dumo (superannuated wrestlers should it be expostulated with in according the was sentenced lead to serious, energetic, spirituelle student's face. His beard is brown, but his hair is become.

In appearance he is describ- disturbs the peace of the world, not only disturbs the peace of the world, not only should it be expostulated with in according the world, not only should be easily or disturbs the peace of the world, not only should it be expostulated with in according the world, not only should be easily or disturbs the peace of the world, not only should be easily or disturbs the peace of the world, not only should be expostulated with in according to the world, not only should be easily or disturbs the peace of the world, not only should be expostulated with in according to the world, not only should be expositely clothing during the fire in the Queens Road | cholera germ. In appearance he is describto six months' imprisonment for being con- ing grey, and this, together with his glasses. cerned in the former theft, and he is now makes him seem to be older than forty or sentenced to undergo a further period of six Göttingen, and afterwards pursued his months' imprisonment with hard labour microscopic studies of bacteria at Breslau, after the expiration of the first term, for the second offence.

Tun steamers Lennox and Miramur arrived in the harbour yesterday after having been in collision in the Formosa Channel, on the or Harvey. 20th inst. The Lennox was bound to Hongkong with coals from Keelung, while the Mi ramar was on her way to Japan. The colli sion occurred at about 3.30 a.m., the Lennox cutting into the starboard quarter of the Miramar. The latter vessel has received the greater damage and on her arrival in [7, 96,401 tons, and for the whole of the port at once went over to the Kowloon "Dock, while the Lennox, which has neveral plates stove in on either side of the stem, is at present unloading her cargo off Wanchai. It is probable that there will be an has the next largest merchant navy, has official enquiry into the cause of the 1,302,095 tors registered for foreign trade, collision, and consequently, in the mean while, we withheld our remarks upon the navy than the States possessed a few years rity bond made on the 25th April, 1882, by subject.

A PRIVATE meeting of creditors in the Woodford Bankruptcy, was held in the Registrar's Chambers this forenoon, when the additional vonchers and explanation fur- steam; indeed, there has been a larger nighed by the bankrupt were examined, and considered. On the whole, the creditors are satisfied, but there were one or two little matters on which they The following rather disheartening news allege that the comprehens failed to account stated that yesterday he went to change a wished a little further information. The regarding one of the newly-opened ports of bankrupt has filed vouchers for almost all the late Hermit Kingdom is published in a Hence their present claim on defendent. | change consisted of roubles and Japanese his payments. A suggestion was made at Japanese paper :the meeting that half of the bankrupt's ... Winsan, like all the rest of the Korean tiffs for all the monies intrusted to his care one half dollar piece to the sumpan man salary should be arrested every month for ports, is suffering from the unpleasant conthe next five years, which would amount in Started on too a large scale, trade has the aggregate to 29,000, but nothing was drooped and declined everywhere, so that decided. The case new stands fixed to come on in the Bankruptcy Court on Thursday. the 3rd proxima

Ar auction sale of 46 lots of Crown Land singers, and the like, have given up the at Hung Hom, Kowloon, will take place on place altogether. Most of the branches of Theolay, the 8th proximo. The boundary measurements of each lot are :- 15 feet and a few petty stores remaining open. North and South, and 50 feet East and Wost, the contents in square feet being 780, and the annual rent 60; upset price the Japanese residents were not able to send

and finish, ht for occupation, before the expiration of twelve extender months pen in ink, while his drowny head finds a from the day of sale, in a good, substantial and workman-like manner, one good and permanent messuage, or tenement, upon hundred dollers.)

College Boys' Debating Society took place perintendence of Capt. Jno. P. Roberts, yesterday, writes a correspondent, at the Literary Club Lecture-room, Mission House. There was a greater assemblage of boys than on the occasion of the opening of the Club. The Bishop, assisted by the Head Master of the College, again presided over the meeting. The President opened proceedings with a lengthy and well-worded speech, in which he fully expatiated on the advantages of the Society and asked for cooperation and support. The Secretary then spoke on 'The pursuit of knowledge in Hongkong,' and drew vivid pictures of some of our local gobe-mouches. Ignorance had had too long a reign already, he said, and erudition must take its place. For the past few years the pursuit of knowledge has been sadly neglected, and the consequence is. that there are very many ignorant young men in the Colony. With the founding of the Club and Society he hopes knowledge will flourish again nover to decay. Speeches on 'Education,' 'Use of learning' and 'Ad-MR Mahomed Alarakia has been appointed, vantages of Debates' were delivered provisionally, to be second assistant in the three members of the Directorial Board. Observatory, vice Mr Solomon Rauben The percentions were received with loud Solomon, resigned. The appointment was applause. The Bishop again said a few obtained by competition, the winner defeat- words and praised the efforts of the boys. ing nine other competitors and counting It is intended to hold a Debate in the mid-1,285 marks out of a possible 1,500. The dle of July, when the public will be in-

We hear that the new, or rather the newly negotiated a Loan for the Japanese Government for £2,000,000.—Shanghai

> THE Jime Shimbun furnishes, in a recent issue, the truly astounding intelligence that Yokohama and New York are to be connectbably run around one or both of the Capes. And after unburdening its soul of this intolligence in the most innocent manuer, the Jim goes on to state that 'it is proposed that Japan should bear the expenses for the benefit of the United States. No wonder that people spenk of the reduction of the land-tax when such magnificent schemes are

Gilbert's piece, at Niblo's, in New York. schemes, will imitate the example of France, was no settlement between the 4th March | witnessing the execution. When the curtain that hid from general drawn aside the audience saw Mrs Langtry mineral wealth; and the province being accounts. He asked the compradore once standing motionless in graceful pose. She overrun with these greedy foreigners, they or twice what he was doing with regard to the neck and short sleeves, very beautiful and Then, the first reason why war should be way.' Witness said he hoped the compraguise the natural flesh of the artist into the able generals, many of whom did good thing wrong with the accounts. Personally, appearance of marble. The audience ap- service against the long-haired rebols, and witness never ascertained between the 4th brought to life by the god.

forty-one years. He studied medicine at under Professor Cohn. Geheimer Rath Koch has been known to the scientific world for some time as a conscientious and accurate observer, but to the non-scientific world his name was unknown until his discovery of the cholera germ. It now promises to be as famous as that of Jenner

Norwithstanding the reiterated cry of depression in the shipping trade, the tennage of the merchant navy of the United Kingdom continues to increase with leaps and bounds. Last year the total on the register for the United Kingdom is returned at | (Before the Hon. J. Russell, Acting Chies British Empire it amounted to 9,131,418 tons. This is an increase on the previous year of 287,751 tens and 334,901 tons respectively. The navies of the other maritime Powers, on the other hand, make little or no progress. The United States, which and 2,933,392 tons employed in the river. lake, and home trade. This is a smaller ago, and France and Italy were likewise retrograded to a slight extent, while the German Empire has remained almost stationary. Their totals for 1882 were Ger. of the bond were set out in the plaintiff's man Empire, 1,226,650 tons; Italy, 990,004 tons; and France, 983,017 tons. The in. | ble for the payment of the sum of 85,000 if crease of British tontage has all been in the late Ng Sang failed to account to the augmentation in that class than the total decrease. -Pall Mall Gazette.

pulling long faces and calculating with conaiderable anxiety the cost of a return ticket to their respective homes. The Japanese residents in Wönsan number no more than 200, while the floating population of actors, Tokiyo and Osaka firms have been closed, only the office of the First National Bank The postal communication with Japan appears to be in a very unsatisfactory coudition. From April to December of last year more than eight mails to this country. winter, mays the Manicki Shinbum. The Parchaser of each Lot, thall build dwellers in Woman are completely shut from the world; the official never dips

> THE str. Will o' the Wise left Shanghai on ber of men with appliances for salvage pure the 25th April, the firm were indebted pan man.

The formal inauguration of St. Joseph's poses, the expedition being under the su- to their compredore to the extent of who has had great experience in such mattors. Bad woather and a head sea necessituted anchoring for the night under the 19th May until the date of the last settle- evidence to the effect that last night at 8 les of Raffles Island, which delayed arrival ment, Ng Sang paid the plaintiffs as freight o'clock, when in the hall of his misfress' at the Posana until 10 a.m. on Monday. | money \$349,955.28. The Registrar found house, he saw the defendant nut his When sighted, no craft of any kind was in that the books showed a balance of inside the shutter of the window. her immediate vicinity, though a large num- \$31,150.70 still due by Ng Sang to the bolt and open the window. Witness ber of fishing vessels were subsequently seen anchored under the lee of the adjacent islands. The Will o' the Wisp is a small was a partner in the firm of Messrs fishermen were able to cut or wrench away. The donkey boiler and pumps that were relied on to keep the engine compartment free from water were completely disabled. all the piping cocks, etc., having been carried off, and the same with the main engines. as low down as they could be got at. Everything that had metal fittings had been broken for the purpose of obtaining them. and even the side light shutters, on which depended the prolonged floating of the vesbroken off and stolen. The midship com-Shanghai. -N. C. D. News.

ment professing to be a Memorial to the Emperor from Admiral Pang Yu-lin. It five reasons for not making peace with and bring disaster on China. Fifthly, the and 25th April, a period of one month and eyes of the whole world will be turned 21 days. During that time he caused no had discarded the traditional 'make up' as will in time prove so numerous that the land business; and the compradore replied : very graceful in form, but not much like | declared is that the French being thus the | dore was not getting involved in any way, white Grecian drapery was encircled by a evidently withdrawn from them. Secondly, The firm's bookkeeper would have commugilded belt. There was no attempt to dis- the Chinese Empire possesses brave and nicated with witness if he had found anyplauded this beautiful figure, and there was advantage should be taken of them while March, 1882, and the date of the giving of undisguised life in the statue before it was they are still alive. Thirdly, many offi. the bond, what freight money the compracers, both military and civil, have come to dore had received. If he had wanted to the front since the Rebellion, and among find out whether or not the compradore was canons of International Law, if any nation unpaid after the expiration of the two than £15 each. stopped by main force. Now International that the firm had overdrawn on the com- Lord St. Leonards was placed on trial and that a troupe of Japanese athletes wi Law is eminently just, and all countries pradore to the extent of \$27,000, they to-day at Middlesex Sessions, Clerkenwell, probably start for the United States b conform to it; wherefore all countries had not really overdrawn, as the compra- on the charge of criminally assaulting fore long. The unprecedented success taking sides with the latter. Fifthly, China is in a better position for making war than France is, both as regards men and money. France will be left unaided, and her soldiers will fight at a distance from home; therefore it is that she is hurrying on the conclusion of peace, an i consequently this is the time for China to take advantage of her weakness and make war on her at once, -N. C. D. News.

SUPREME COURT. IN ORIGINAL JURISDICTION.

Justice.) Monday, June 23. DOUGLAS LAPRAIR & Co. v. CHAN

Mr A. G. Wise represented the plaintiffs; and Dr Ho Kai, instructed by Measra Dennys and Mossop, appeared for the defendant.

This suit was brought to recover the sum

of 85,000 alleged to be due under a secuwhich defendant and others became securities for Ng Sang, Messrs Douglas Lapraik & Co.'s late compredore. The conditions petition, and made the defendant responsiplaintiffs for all the monies due to by him. Ng Sang continued them

Registrar should enquire into the ac- it back to the changer's. The \$1 pieces counts and report on them. Mr Wise were worth only 80 cents and the half read the report, dated 9th May, which dollar pieces 40 cents. On going back to the detailed the various witnesses examined, money changers shop the latter refused to and summarised their evidence. The give back the note for the money, and com-In Registrar found from the statements plainants went to the Police Station, when the and the witnesses produced that on March Police Constable D. Hall was sent with them 4th. 1882, an account was taken, when it to the money changer's. Defendant again his was found that Ng Sang, who was respon- refused to thange the money, and denied sible to his employers for the payment of having changed the note. On examining the comfortable pillow on the coroban (abacus). freight money due by Chinese shippers, notes in the drawer in defendant's shop, was the creditor of the firm to the extent | the \$10 note was found at the top, though of 2960. It was the custom of the firm to defendant tried to cover it. Sunday morning (June 18th) for the wreck allow the Chinese shippers two months! The defendant was discharged after some part of his Lot, and shall expend of the Posting with two small Chinese junks credit, but in this instance the settle- giving back the \$10 note to complainant in thereon a sum of not less than \$500 (Five in tow, on board of which was a large num- January. When the bond was made, on cents in place of the money paid the cam-

827 817. No settlement took place from the 4th March, 1882, until 19th May, 1882, Mr

steamer, painted white, and probably the Douglas Lapraik & Co. Defendant was fighermen supposed her to be either a Cus- one of the sureties under a bond of toms cruiser or an English gunboat, so security for \$5,000, dated the 25th April described the wreck when her approach was Witness' firm had applied for payment, but signalled. On boarding the wreck, it was defendant had paid nothing. Ng Sang died found to be in a deplorable condition, hav- in the beginning of July last year. Witness ing been looted of every thing in the shape found at the date of Ng Sang's death that he of copper, brass, lead and iron that the was indubted to the firm to the amount of

Cross examined by Dr. Ho Kai, witness

said the late compradore had been in the

firm's employ some time before witness join-

ed it in 1877. He was not under security until 1882, and the reason security was asked for then was because witness had heard outside that the compradore was speculating in land. He collected all the A horrible hanging occurred to day at Linfreight money from Chinese, who had usu-coln. The victim was Mrs Leffley, who poi ally two months' credit, and he settled up soned her husband last fall and was duly sel, and more time for plander, had been when the freights were collected. The convicted and sentenced at the Lincolncredit was supposed to be allowed to the shire Sessions. She had, however, acpartment was half full of water, and occa- Chinese, not to the compradore; there quired some money by her husband's sionally the sea washed through one of the was no express or positive understand- death, and she spent it liberally in pressopen side lights, into the after tween decks. ing as to the 2 months' credit being ing an appeal to the Home Secretary for It was evident the wreck would soon fill and allowed, and it was left to the dis- commutation of her sentence to imprisonsink, and there being no means at hand to cretion of the compredere to collect the ment for life, or if that were refused, for a reprevent it, the Will o' the Wisp returned to | bills when he liked. The credit was given , prieve of a few weeks. To the very last against her. The first reason against peace day, and witness looked over the cash book to prevent these restraints and gave utteris that the trouble in Annam was wantonly himself at the end of the month. Witness ance to frightful yells, which were heard and causelessly brought about by France, did not recollect having examined the even outside the massive walls of the jail. who thereby threw a dependency of China compradore's books on the 24th cr 25th On the way to the scaffold the into anarchy; and hitherto China has not April, 1882, nor could be tell, without screams of the condemned woman were asserted her dignity to any purpose. The referring to the books, what amount almost maniacal, and drowned to a voice of accord reason is that France has not yet the compradore had received on account the prison chaplain, who was reciting the these circumstances, she is willing to make any communication to the sureties as to his placed upon the trap she continued to scream

end of the month.

to be furnished of the amounts paid by the evidently under the influence of liquor. compradore to the firm between the 4th March and 25th April, 1882. His Lordship adjourned the case until this account shall have been prepared

Police Intelligence (Before E. Mackeau, Esq.) Monday, June 29.

PRACED IN CHANGING MONEY. Chun Ahing, a money changer, was increase; so that sailing vessels continue to in plaintiffs' employ until the 20th July, charged with defrauding Joseph Giautwich 1883, when he died. An account was then a seaman, of \$1.10 in changing a \$10 taken between the parties, and the plantifie i note on the 22nd instant. Complainant to them for \$31,150, entrusted to his care, | \$10 bill at defendant's house, and received but appropriated that sum to his own uses. the money produced in exchange. The . In his answer, defendant alleged that half dollar pieces. Complainant did not Ng Sang faithfully accounted to the plain- know the value of them. He had given from the date of the bond until the day, who brought him ashore. Further evihe ceased to be in their employ. Defendant | dence was given by John Mitchell, seaman, had no knowledge of Ng Sang's dealings to the effect that the captain of their ship the prisoner and announced that sen- by missionary labour in the South :-with the plantific previous to the making had given a \$10 bill to be divided equally tence would not be pronounced until STATISTICS OF THE JAPAN MISSION, A.B.C.F.M. bond, and when he signed it amongst complainant and four other seahe had no intimation from the plain men belonging to the ship, who all went that Ng Sang was indebted to ashore together. They changed the hill at them in any way; and that he would not defendant's shop, and after giving one 50 have entered into the said bond, if he had cent piece to the sampan man, who accombeen informed that the said Ng Sang was panied them to the money changer's, they indebted : and that the plaintiffs ought to went to the 'Land we live in' tavern, where, on tendering some of the money ob-The matter had been before the Court tained for the note, they were informed some time ago, when it was ordered that the that it was bad, and were advised to take

Ohu Atuk, a coolie, was charged Bottomley stating he had no reason to above. Fung Afuk, a cook, employed by think Ng Sang was behind. From the Mrs Hayward, Arbuthnot Road, gave

out and chased the defendant, who Mr C. D. Bottomley, sworn, stated he stopped by a constable. It appeared that the defendant had formerly been in the employ of Mrs Hayward.

A previous conviction was proved against defendant, and he was now sentenced to six

months' imprisonment with hard labour.

NEWS BY THE AMERICAN MAIL

The O. & O. steamer Oceanic arrived here this afternoon, bringing San Francisco mails up to May 27th. BRUTAL EXECUTION OF A MURDERESS IN

New York, May 27.—A cable special to the World from London of May 29th says

peace, offers grounds for suspecting that having heard that the compradors was en- and incoherently declare her innocence she has some deep stratagem in the back. gaged in land speculation, and he never in- until the white cap was pulled down over ground. Thirdly, the fact of France having formed them that he feared the compra- her mouth and stifled her voice. Then the waived the war-indemnity simply shows dore might possibly be indebted to the firm trap fell, the woman dropped into the well. that she is going to compensate herself all owing to the land transactions. He could and in a few minutes was pronounced dead. the more by fresh commercial privileges, not personally recollect whether there was Contrary to the usual custom no representin which she will derive pecuniary benefit a settlement on the 4th March or not; the atives of the press were admitted to the at China's expense. Fourthly, other na- books would show that. Having referred jailyard, and very contrary stories are told tions, observing the success of the French to the firm's cash book, witness said there by the medical men and other officials

> Paris May 26.—Mile. Colombier has been their inception. A lower and more de sentenced to three months' imprisonment grading form of labour cannot well be con and a fine for her brochure 'Sara Bar- | ceived; every man performing it sinks int

> ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY PERSONS HURT. Chatham (Ont.). May 26.—During the holiday games to day the grand stand collapsed and 150 people were injured, several consist principally of broken arms, legs and if directed in in a proper channel, may be ribs. Some were injured internally.

EFFECTS OF THE FAILURE OF THE ORIENTAL thing must be found for them. tion and uzarly a score of suicides have fol- preaching changes in the foreign relation lowed the failure of the Oriental Bank. No of the empire. The Hochi Shinbun state failure since the suspension of the City that yesterday H. E. Inouye, Minister for them is Liu Jung-fu, also a Chinese, whose making false entries, or had collected more Bank of Glasgow has caused such wholesale Foreign Affairs, and Mr Yoshida, Vice-M ruin. The organization of the Oriental Bank | nister, held a private conference with H. I corporation was peculiar in having over Yamada, Minister of Justice, Mr Justice the neighbourhood; had he not been there, pers and ask them if they had paid, or 100,000 shareholders, although its capital Tamano, President of the Daishin-in. M

should be distinctly informed by Imperial dore was in possession of the freight bills Miss Emma Cole, a pretty young woman Sadakichi 'the champion wrestler of J decree that China is right and France is for February, March and April; and the employed as a servant by Mr Crawford, pan (7) is at the bottom of this sudden decree that China is right and France is wrong, so that none of them will think of average freight earnings per month were at whose house his Lordship was a mand for Eastern athletes; but we are in about \$70,000 or \$75,000, but the greater | the city of London, presided at the trial. On | venture. Defendant's counsel asked for an account | came her. His Lordship, she added, was |

> truth of her statement. Berved to provoke a burst of derisive laugh- Fiji Shimpo. cord. The Recorder sternly suppressed the at Yokosuka, are as follows :- Length 50

> court if it was renewed. The jury was absent but a few minutes knots per hour, and her armament will and returned with a verdict of guilty as in- consist of one 15 centimetre and one 24 dicted. No recommendation to marcy ac- centimetre gun and four Nordenfeldts. companied the verdict. Although no other is stated that the authorities intend conresult could have been anticipated, both structing about twenty gunboats of this Lord St. Leonards and his brother, Walter pattern. Sugden, were visibly affected, and it was The following statistics which we have expected that sentence would at once be received from the American Board of Comimposed but in this the spectators were missioners for Foreign Missions, convey disappointed, as the Recorder remanded some idea of the remarkable results attained the June semion of the Court.

Shanghai

The Hon. J. Russell Young, United States Minister, returned to Shanghai from Chinking by the Shanghai yesterday (June 16th). Mr E. Smithers, U.S. Consul at Chinkiang, was a passenger by the same

We are informed that the Selanger Tin Mining Co. have made their first shipment f smalted tin to Penang; the quantity, three tone, is necessarily small at first, as the tip stratum has only just been reached, but it is confidently asserted that the monthly deliveries of smelted ore will not he less than 100 tons. The prospects of the Company are considered very good.

The Puyew, which left Shanghai for Swatow, broke down off Haechu, on Monday morning (June 16th), and returned to Shanghai for repairs. A snake measuring five feet six inches

length has been captured in a yard here was of a poisonous description, and rather handsomely marked in oream-colour and Students [Boys 104] black. We hear that several of these re-

ntiles have been seen in Shanghai lately.-N.-O. D. News.

Tientsin. An atmospheric disturbance of a violent

character but of peculiarly circumscribed

area occurred near a place called Yang-

chung on the Peiho about 120 li to the west

of Tientsin, on the 12th June. A strong easterly wind was blowing, and the sun was obscured by dust clouds, when the rumbling of distant thunder was heard, which quickly came very near. Then the boats on the river were hastily moored to the bank and made snug. Scarcely had these preparations been made, when heavy drops, of rain fell, followed by a rattling shower of hail-stones as large as eggs, which resounded from the roofs of the boats in an alarming fashion. The hail-storm lasted about a quarter of an hour: the rain continued about as much longer and the storm cleared away, the casterly wind, which had been interrupted by violent gusts from the north-west during the delivery of the storm, resuming its sway as if nothing had happened. Many of the boats were damaged in various ways, one having had its 'house' completely blown off. Growing crops were seriously injured, fields of wheat being levelled, and the ears, broken off the stalks, were strewn between the rows. besides other damage of a like nature. donkey and a bullock were observed dead on the clope of the bank. It appeared they had been harnessed to a loaded cart and were caught in the storm. donkey, which in real life is one of the wisest of quadrupeds, retained his selfpossession, but the bullock, the least philosoto the customers because the compradore Mrs Leffley thought a reprieve would be phical of animals except the estrich, be, ing out the laws of the land.' We cannot said they required it. Since Ng Sang's granted and she was not by any means came infuriated by the politing of hail-stones. answer for the truth of this runour, inas-THE Wei Hain Jih Pao publishes a docu- death, witness had learned that some of reconciled to her fate. When she first saw and plunged wildly hither and thither, much as, the meeting being a private one, the money was paid before the two months the hangman in the pinioning-room she eventually precipitating the whole equipage no reporters were present. We give it for expired. Witness could have examined the shricked with terror and fainted. She was into the river, where both animals were what it may be worth, but there can be no compradors's accounts at any time he restored to consciousness and the hangman incontinently drowned. If was hard on the question, presuming that such remarks were TELEGRAMS have been received from Lon- has, however, a decidedly bogus appear- pleased; and could have made him give began to prepare her for the gallows by donkey to be mated with such a fool, but addressed to Police Inspectors, that the don saying that Mr E. B. Watson has ance. The Admiral says that there are if mittees had above to do so Witness had above to do s if witness had chosen to do so. Witness | loosely about her skirts, to be tightened a similar fate. The peculiarity of this truths. Janan Mail. could not understand Chinese, but the about her ankles after she had walked to atorm, however, was that within two miles France, and five reasons for declaring war bookkeeper examined the accounts every the scaffold. Mrs Lessey fought desperately of the centre of greatest destruction not a drop of rain had fallen, and the fields were parched and dusty within a quarter of mile of the deluge. It was pitiful to se the country people going about bemoaning the destruction of their hopes, and shewing by manual demonstration, the sizes of th hail-stones. 'We wanted rain.' they ken been beaten; and the fact that, under of the firm. He did not make prayers for the dying. When she was on saying: but we did not want this!

Yokohama.

Currency is given to a report by one o the Japanese papers that the Governmen intend ultimately to prohibit entirely jin riksha labour; and as a proliminary heavy tax will be soon levied on thes vehicles. This resolution will cause n surprise; on the contrary, the wonder that the Government did not discourage th use of these men-power carriages from the lowest social depths, and bears th stamp of his vocation in visible marks The work must, however, be profitable, fo not far short of one in every hundred the population is engaged in it. To what valuable uses this labour might be turned prived of means of making a living some

Some activity prevails in Governmen London. May 19 .- Widespread destitu- circles consequent, is supposed, upon ap

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about \$25,000. The compradors would guest. Sir Thomas Chambers, member of clined to think that anything outside have bills in his possession to the extent of Parliament for Marylebone and Recorder of champion wrestlers' will prove a losing number of the bills would not be due the bench beside him sat half a dozen young A tea grower at Uji, Kiyo, has latel owing to the two months' credit being noblemen and the courtroom was thronged been fined 10 year by the Tea Association with representatives of the fashionable in that place, and large quantities of spuri-Re-examined by Mr Wise, Mr Bottomley | world. A number of ladies drove in their ous tes found in his possession have been said he had no reason to believe that at the carriages to Clerkenwell, and those destroyed. It seems that this is the third time the bond was made, the compradore | who were denied admission expressed great | time that he has been detected manufacturwas in any pecuniary difficulties. It was indignation. The complainant testified in ing worthess teas. He used to employ a large provided by the bonds that the books detail to the circumstances of the assault. number of ten firers, each of whom fired should form conclusive evidence against the She opened the door for the prisoner, she from 10 to 12 kwamme daily. The process said, in answering to his ring at the bell. was as follows:-As soon as the fresh Mr A. F. dos Remedios said he was a Having admitted him, she returned to leaves had been steamed, they were put bookkeeper to Messrs D. Lapraik & Co., the room from which she had come, between large mats and thus chafed. The in whose employ he had been for 38 years. | and was about to resume her work when | leaves were then dried by means of boxes, The evidence witness gave before the Re- she heard the door close. Turning she the upper sides of which were made of pistrar was correct, with the exception that saw that Lord St. Leonards had followed paper over which the leaves were strewn, the amounts of freight the compradore col- her and had shut the door behind him. He the inside of the boxes being filled with lected were entered up in the cash book immediately seized her and held his hand- glowing charcoal. This ended the whole every day, and payment was made at the kerchief over her mouth to stiffe her cries. procedure, except that the leaves were af-Although she resisted to the utmost he over- terwards twisted by hand. - Choya Shimbun. The proprietor, editor, and foreman of the Maru Maru Shimbun have each been No real attempt was made to gainsay the sentenced to a fine of 50 yea. A caricature

headed 'Wild Rat' appeared in its 445th Edward George Clark, Queen's counsel, issue, which represented a rat embracing a one of leaders of the English criminal Bar, candle inscribed ito-shin-no-saku (a candle acted as advocate for the baron. In his whose wick is made of threads). The Court address to the jury he spoke of the dis- thought that this picture, together with the tinguished ancestry of the prisoner and of comments on it, were intended to express his honorable name. The latter allusion that H.E. Ito was embracing Christianity, proved unfortunate, however, as it only and thereby slandering His Excellency. ter from many of those present who were | The dimensions of the Atago, a first class acquainted with his Lordship's real re- gunboat, now in course of construction

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